

of the Federal decision-making process. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EXAMINING NEXT STEPS FOR U.S. ENGAGEMENT IN AFGHANISTAN

Committee on Oversight and Reform: Subcommittee on National Security held a hearing entitled “Examining Next Steps for U.S. Engagement in Afghanistan”. Testimony was heard from Zalmay Khalilzad, Special Representative for Afghanistan Reconciliation, Department of State.

CYBERSECURITY AND RISK MANAGEMENT AT VA: ADDRESSING ONGOING CHALLENGES AND MOVING FORWARD

Committee on Veterans’ Affairs: Subcommittee on Technology Modernization held a hearing entitled “Cybersecurity and Risk Management at VA: Addressing Ongoing Challenges and Moving Forward”. Testimony was heard from Paul Cunningham, Deputy Assistant Secretary and Chief Information Security Officer, Department of Veterans Affairs; Michael Bowman, Director of IT and Security Audits Division, Office of Audits and Evaluations Office of Inspector General, Department of Veterans Affairs;

Chris Jaikaran, Analyst in Cybersecurity Policy, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress.

POWERING UP CLEAN ENERGY: INVESTMENTS TO MODERNIZE AND EXPAND THE ELECTRIC GRID

Select Committee on the Climate Crisis: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Powering Up Clean Energy: Investments to Modernize and Expand the Electric Grid”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, MAY 21, 2021

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

No hearings are scheduled.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

3 p.m., Monday, May 24

Senate Chamber

Program for Monday: Senate will resume consideration of S. 1260, Endless Frontier Act.

At 5:30 p.m., Senate will resume consideration of the nomination of Chiquita Brooks-LaSure, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, and vote on the motion to invoke cloture thereon.

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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House Chamber

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